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**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES - WILDLIFE AND HERITAGE SERVICE
PUBLIC DOVE FIELDS 2006-2007**

Maryland Statewide Mourning Dove Hunting Season 2006-2007

Sept. 1 - Oct. 14; Nov. 11 - Nov. 24; Dec. 23 - Jan. 3

Shooting hours - 12 Noon to Sunset during Sept. 1 - Oct. 14

One half hour before Sunrise to Sunset during other season segments.

DOVE MANAGEMENT AREA REGULATIONS: The following areas are managed by the DNR Wildlife and Heritage Service to provide food and cover for doves and other wildlife. These areas are open to the public for dove hunting. Certain restrictions apply. Fields are open only on the days and times indicated during the period Sept. 1 to Oct. 14. Areas marked with an asterisk (*) require a permit and the number of hunters may be restricted. Areas not marked with an asterisk (*) are open on a first-come basis. Acreage numbers are cumulative; some areas have multiple fields.

During the periods Nov. 11 to Nov. 24 and Dec. 23 to Jan. 3, these areas are open for dove hunting on a first come basis without additional restrictions. All Federal and State laws apply.

***PERMIT REQUIRED**

County	Area	Location and Size	Area Hunting Regulations	For Information Call:
Caroline	Idylwild WMA	NE of Federalsburg on Route 306. 17 acres	Opening day, Wed. & Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	410-376-3236
Charles	Chicamuxen WMA	On Rt. 224, 8 mi. S Mason Springs; 10 acres	Wed. and Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	301-743-5161
Charles	Myrtle Grove WMA	1 mile down Myrtle Grove Rd., off Rt. 225; 10 acres	Tues. and Fri. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	301-743-5161
Charles	Chapel Point State Park	Main hunter parking on Chapel Point Rd.; 10 acres	Tues., Thur. and Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	301-743-5161
Charles	Indian Creek NRMA	On Rt. 231, 1 mi. west of Patuxent River; 10 acres	Mon. and Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	301-743-5161
Dorchester	LeCompte WMA	5 mi. SW Vienna on Steels Neck Road. 20 acres	Opening day, Wed. and Sat. Noon-5:00 p.m.	410-376-3236
Kent	Millington WMA	1.5 mi. E Massey on Massey-Delaware Line Road. 20 acres	Opening day, Mon., Wed., and Sat.; Noon - 5:00 p.m.	410-928-3650
Montgomery	McKee-Beshers WMA	Upper Casey tract, River Rd., 23 acres	Opening Day, Tues., Thur. & Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	410-356-9272

		Sycamore Landing tract, 8 acres	Opening Day ,Tues., Thur. & Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	
Prince George's*	Cheltenham WMA	Rt. 301 & Frank Tippet Rd.; 8 mi. S Upper Marlboro, 6 ac.	Wed. and Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	301-743-5161
Prince George's	Milltown NRMA	At end of Milltown Lnd. Rd. off Croom Rd. (Rt. 382); 6 acres	Mon., Wed. and Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	301-743-5161
Prince George's*	Spice Creek NRMA	¼ mile down Tanyard Rd., off Croom Rd. (Rt. 382); 10 acres	Mon. and Fri. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	301-743-5161
Somerset	Deal Island WMA	Two sites: Dames Quarter (12 mi.) and Deal Island (16 mi.) W. Princess Anne on Rt. 363. 30 acres.	Opening day, Mon., Wed. & Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	410-651-2320 410-543-8223
Somerset	Maryland Marine Properties WMA	Marumsco about 10 mi. E of Crisfield. 25 acres	Opening day, Mon., Wed. & Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	410-651-2320 410-543-8223
Wicomico	Nanticoke River WMA	5 mi. W Quantico. 15 acres	Opening day, Mon., Wed. & Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	410-651-2320 410-543-8223
Worcester	Pocomoke River WMA	7 mi. S Snow Hill on Rt.113. 6 acres	Opening day, Mon., Wed. & Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	410-651-2320 410-543-8223
Worcester	E. A. Vaughan WMA	Two sites: 2.5 mi. E of Stockton on George Island Landing Rd. and 9 miles S of Snow Hill on Rt. 12; 30 acres	Opening day, Mon., Wed. & Sat. Noon - 5:00 p.m.	410-651-2320 410-543-8223

Dove Management Areas are funded with Federal Aid in Wildlife Restoration Funds and your hunting license dollars.

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